September 21st - September 24th, 2021 Weekly Mass Intention/Schedule

Tuesday	4:00 pm	St. George (Scotland)	+ Martin Kubal	
Wednesday	8:30 am	St. Wenceslaus (Tabor)	+ Helen Zdenek	
Thursday	4:30 pm	St. John the Baptist/St. Agnes (Lesterville)	+ Joseph Hejl	
Friday	8:30 am	St. Wenceslaus (Tabor)	+ John Becvar	



September 25th & 26th, 2021 -- Twenty-Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Saturday	4:30 pm	St. George (Scotland)	FOR THE PEOPLE	Proverbs 3:5-6
Saturday	6:30 pm	St. Wenceslaus (Tabor)	+ Mike Kubal	TRUST in the Lord with all your heart and do not lean on your own understand- ing. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make
Sunday	9:00 am	St. John the Baptist/St. Agnes (Lesterville)	FOR THE PEOPLE	
Sunday	11:00 am	St. Boniface (Idylewilde)	+ Colleen Slagle	your paths straight.

St. George		St. Boniface	
Envelopes	\$1,016.00	\$.00	
Loose	\$34.00	\$.00	
Masses	\$.00	\$.00	
CFSA	\$.00	\$.00	
Bikes	\$615.00	\$.00	
Total	\$1,665.00	\$.00	

Congratulations on reaching our goals.
All future contributions will stay
in our parishes for our benefit.

2021 CFSA	REC'D	GOAL
St. George	\$.14,481.00	\$14,000.00
St. Boniface/ St. Columba	\$11,080.00	\$10,500.00

Ministry Schedule for September 25th & September 26th, 202		
Ministry	ST. GEORGE Sat. 4:30 PM	St. Boniface Sun. 11:00 AM
Greeters	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS
Lector	Kevin Janish	Kristi Sage
Servers	Tori Dvorak, Grace Vitek, & Dylan Dvorak	Shelby Lyons
Extraordinary Ministers	Mike Dvorak	Janet Scherschligt
Ushers	Tom Vitek, Mike Dvorak, Steven Jonas, & Josh Kass	
Rosary	4:00 pm Sue Lowe	

The Catholic Parishes of St. George & St. Boniface/St. Columba

SEPTEMBER 19TH, 2021 --- TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday, 4:00 pm

St. George (Scotland)

Wednesday, 8:30 am

St. Wenceslaus (Tabor)

Thursday, 4:30 pm

St. John (Lesterville)

Friday, 8:30 am

St. Wenceslaus (Tabor)

WEEKEND MASSES

SATURDAY

ST. GEORGE (Scotland) 4:30 pm

ST. WENCESLAUS (Tabor) 6:30 pm SUNDAY

ST. JOHN'S (Lesterville) 9:00 am

ST. BONIFACE (Idylewilde)11:00 am

CONFESSIONS

Weekdays-- Half hour before Masses

Weekend -- Half hour before Masses

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St. Boniface Bulletin: https:// www.parishesonline.com/find/stboniface-idywilde-catholic-church

St. George Bulletin: http:// bit.ly/2dWclG7 OR http:// parishesonline.com/find/st-george -catholic-church-57059



"Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me."

Thank you again for your donations to "Two Old Priests on Bikes –2021". The final tally for our parishes was outstanding. We received a total of \$4,500 with some other money trickling in. This goes for our youth programs and religious education. Fr. Terry Anderson at Saint Thomas More raised over \$10,500 for the Catholic School. He is

very appreciative of our competitive spirit! God bless you! This weekend we again hear Jesus predict his passion. "The Son of Man is to be handed over to men and they will kill him, and three days after his death the Son of Man will rise." Last Sunday, Jesus said, "that the Son of Man must suffer greatly and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and rise after three days." Sandwiched between these two passages on these Sunday's, were the Feast days of the Exaltation of the Cross, Our Lady of Sorrows, and the Martyrdom of Saints Cornelius and Cyprian. This tells us that the Cross is very important to us as Catholics and Christians. The Cross is part of our lives and dying to ourselves brings us newness of life. We experience this new life as we go through the travails of this life and eventually the fullness of life in heaven.

Sometimes we expect our lives to be a "bowl full of cherries", when in fact none of us will escape suffering and death. As Christians we can expect hardship and suffering for the Gospel of Jesus Christ. The message in our culture is if we pray and be good, we will not suffer. The truth is we will all suffer. The message can be put out to us that if we live a Christian life, we will prosper in this life. This is not the experience of our Saints that have gone before us marked with the sign of Christ. This is a very, very, countercultural message for us this week! God bless you and your families! Fr. Mark

PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE MONTH- SEPTEMBER

Pope's Intention: An environmentally sustainable lifestyle. We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.



Aaron Goeken & Bridget Healy October 2nd - St. Columbia

Josh Roth & Rebecca Eberts October 9th - St. Boniface **TO KNOW:** This passage marks a turning point in Mark's gospel. Jesus had left Galilee where he was safe and took the first step towards Jerusalem and the Cross that awaited him there. For the second time, Jesus taught his followers about his coming passion and death, but they did not understand his words. When they arrived in Capernaum, Jesus asked his disciples what they had been arguing about on the way. They were embarrassed because they had been discussing what rank each would have in the kingdom. Jesus placed a small child in their midst and taught them an important lesson. Those who wished to be his disciples should not be concerned about ambition and prestige. God's kingdom would be attained through service to the poor and lowly. Anyone who served these little ones of simple faith were in reality serving Jesus and the Father who sent him.

TO LOVE: Do I strive to serve others or am I more interested in being self-serving? **TO SERVE:** Lord Jesus, help me to recognize you in the weak and powerless people I meet.

BROOMTREE RETREAT CENTER

<u>To Register, Call: 605-263-1040 (Free-Will Donation)</u> Email: broomtree@sfcatholic.org

Day of Recollection

Saint Paul at Athens-Talking to an Unbelieving World,

September 14th, 2021

Directed by Father Paul King

When God says no, October 12, 2021

Silent Retreats 2021 WOMEN:

September 16 - 19 MEN:

September 23 - 26

Undone: A Healing Retreat
October 15-17 2021

Directed by Fr. Scott Traynor, Director of Broom Tree Retreat Center

Directed by Father Joe Vogel

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION:

The Bishop would like to invite couples who are celebrating milestone anniversaries to a special mass in August. If you are celebrating a wedding anniversary of 25, 50, 60, or 65+ years anytime during 2020 or 2021, please contact the Sioux Falls Catholic Diocese. Audrey Andersen (aanderson@sfcatholic.org) or 605-988-3748, with your names, address and wedding date.

CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES

Are you dealing with difficult events in your life? We have professional, caring counselors who are available to provide individual, marriage, and family counseling. Please call us at 605-988-3775 to schedule an appointment.

PRAYER REQUESTS: If you would like to be added to pray for those on the list, or to add, update, or remove someone, please contact: Michelle Kass at michellekass@hotmail.com or (605) 300-0194

Helen Weier at (605) 327-3488 Delores Roth at (605)-925-4448 Please keep us updated!

PRAYER CHAIN

Jennifer Bierle & Family Pray for our world as it is
All Families & in such upheaval.

Medical Teams Evidence of the evil is sur

in such upheaval. Evidence of the evil is surfacing and much prayer is needed for the good people to carry out the battle. Pray for our faith to grow, for safety and protection; and remember:



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ST. GEORGE

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
ST. BONIFACE/ST. COLUMBA

FAITH over fear.

Susie Christensen- 605-660-3569



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ST. GEORGE ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Fall Supper Committee would like to thank all of you who so generously donated food, money and work to once again make our supper a success last weekend. It's always heartwarming to see our parish come together as a team & do a great job!! We really appreciate all of your time and cooperation. Also many thanks to the raffle committee, all of you who donated wonderful raffle prizes and to those who sold tickets. Fall Supper Committee: Marlene Hall, JoAnn Ireland, Linda Pechous, Mary Janssen, Nicole Janssen & Teresa Bartlett.

The Zion Lutheran Church is planning their Golden Age Supper for Wed., Nov. 3rd. The Golden Age Supper is a meal for all community members over 75. In the past, this has been an excellent service project for our youth. All community members are encouraged to participate. This will be Take-out only. The menu is a Turkey dinner with all the fixings. Right now, they are looking for volunteers to cook, dish-up meals, help deliver, and clean. Please contact Heather Friederich at (605) 999-1981 for more details and to sign-up to help.

ST. BONFICE/ST. COLUMBA ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Boniface Fall Supper: It has been decided for the safety of everyone to cancel the St. Boniface Fall Supper scheduled for October 10, 2021. Thank you to everyone who signed up and offered assistance thus far.

ATTENTION St. Boniface parents and parishioners!! We are in need of CCD teachers this year!! First grade needs a teacher. 3rd grade needs a teacher. 5&6 grade class needs a teacher. The 10th through 12th grade class needs a teacher. PLEASE call or text Susan Christensen, DRE at 605-660-3569 if you can help in any way. Maybe team teach or substitute teach. Your help will be greatly appreciated and you will be abundantly blessed!!

BENEDICTINE PEACE CENTER: is offering two online Scripture Studies, using the Little Rock Scripture Study created by the Catholic Diocese of Little Rock in Arkansas. Both groups begin **Sept. 29th**, with registration deadline of **Sept. 22**. For more information and to register at, https://yanktonbenedictines.org/online-scripture-study-exodus/, https://yanktonbenedictines.org/online-study-gospel-of-luke/, or call (605)668-6292.



ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST SOUP KITCHEN: October 17th, 11am-3pm at the Lesterville Community Center. Set up is October 13th, at 7pm. The Hall will be open October 16th from 9am-5pm to drop off your donations.

LEAVE A LEGACY: To leave a legacy is to reveal our hearts--for our legacy is a final testament of who we are, what we value and whom we love. Regardless of your age, circumstances or economic status, we encourage you to begin thinking about the legacy you wish to leave behind and the message you hope to share with your loved ones, our parish family and our community through a gift to Catholic Community Foundation for Eastern SD. Join in our mission to provide a Future Full of Hope and experience the Joy of Giving! To learn more, please visit our website: www.ccfesd.org or contact Ashley Gullikson in the Yankton office at (605)668-1286 or agullikson@ccfesd.org.

The Diocesan staff will be holding an information/listening session on the changes that have been made since July 1st. There will be a meeting for Saint Boniface parish at the Saint Columba, Mayfield location on Tuesday, September 21st at 6:30 in the Church. And on Tuesday, September 28th we will have an information/listening session for St. John the Baptist Parish at the St. Agnes location. This will be held in the hall. This meeting will also begin at 6:30pm. There will be a short prayer session at each meeting sight beginning at 6:30p with the meeting to follow. Please make this a high priority and if you can't make one meeting you could go to the other as the information will be helpful. Let people know who have a need for more information.